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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Gollamudi S. Kishore
YASUKI KATO, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1615
Application No.: 10/018,349)	
	:	Confirmation No. 1803
Filed: December 19, 2001)	
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For: METHOD OF INHIBITING)	
LEAKAGE OF DRUG	:	
ENCAPSULATED IN LIPOSOMES)	June 16, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2008 to June 27, 2008. A depository account payment of \$1050.00 for payment of the extension fee has been paid concurrently herewith. Please charge any additional fee required and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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